

# IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

**Robert B. Staszewski**

Serial No.: **09/728,180**

Filed: **12/01/2000**

For: **DIGITAL PLL WITH GEAR SHIFT**

Docket No.: **TI-31248**

Examiner: **Tran, Khai**

Art Unit: **2631**

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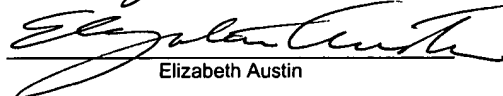
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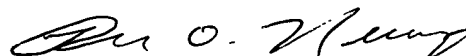
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Total Claims	17	Minus	20	0	x \$18 =	\$0.00
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Responsive to the Office Action dated August 13, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.